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## ON SOME SUBCLASSES OF *M*-FOLD SYMMETRIC **BI-UNIVALENT FUNCTIONS**

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ABSTRACT. In this work, we introduce two new subclasses  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\beta,\lambda)$  of  $\Sigma_m$  consisting of analytic and *m*-fold symmetric bi-univalent functions in the open unit disc U. Furthermore, for functions in each of the subclasses introduced in this paper, we obtain the coefficient bounds for  $|a_{m+1}|$ and  $|a_{2m+1}|$ .

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Let A denote the class of functions f which are analytic in the open unit disc  $U = \{z : z \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } |z| < 1\}, \text{ with in the form }$ 

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n z^n.$$
 (1.1)

Let S be the subclass of A consisting of the form (1.1) which are also univalent in U. It is well known that every function  $f \in S$  has an inverse  $f^{-1}$ , satisfying  $f^{-1}(f(z)) = z, (z \in U) \text{ and } f(f^{-1}(w)) = w, (|w| < r_0(f), r_0(f) \ge \frac{1}{4}), \text{ where }$ 

$$f^{-1}(w) = w - a_2 w^2 + (2a_2^2 - a_3) w^3 - (5a_2^3 - 5a_2a_3 + a_4) w^4 + \cdots$$
 (1.2)

A function  $f \in A$  is said to be bi-univalent in U if both f and  $f^{-1}$  are univalent in U. Let  $\Sigma$  denote the class of bi-univalent functions defined in the unit disc U. For a brief history and interesting examples in the class  $\Sigma$ , see [11], (see also [1], [3], [8], [9], [12], [15], [16], [20], [21]).

For each function  $f \in S$ , the function

$$h(z) = \sqrt[m]{f(z^m)} \qquad (z \in U, \ m \in \mathbb{N})$$
(1.3)

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is univalent and maps the unit disc U into a region with *m*-fold symmetry. A function is said to be *m*-fold symmetric (see [7], [10]) if it has the following normalized form:

$$f(z) = z + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_{mk+1} z^{mk+1} \qquad (z \in U, \ m \in \mathbb{N}).$$
(1.4)

We denote by  $S_m$  the class of *m*-fold symmetric univalent functions in *U*, which are normalized by the series expansion (1.4). In fact, the functions in the class *S* are *one*-fold symmetric.

Analogous to the concept of *m*-fold symmetric univalent functions, we here introduced the concept of *m*-fold symmetric bi-univalent functions. Each function  $f \in \Sigma$  generates an *m*-fold symmetric bi-univalent function for each integer  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . The normalized form of f is given as in (1.4) and the series expansion for  $f^{-1}$ , which has been recently proven by Srivastava et al. [13], is given as follows:

$$g(w) = w - a_{m+1}w^{m+1} + \left[(m+1)a_{m+1}^2 - a_{2m+1}\right]w^{2m+1} \\ - \left[\frac{1}{2}(m+1)(3m+2)a_{m+1}^3 - (3m+2)a_{m+1}a_{2m+1} + a_{3m+1}\right]w^{3m+1} \\ + \cdots$$
(1.5)

where  $f^{-1} = g$ . We denote by  $\Sigma_m$  the class of *m*-fold symmetric bi-univalent functions in *U*. For m = 1, the formula (1.5) coincides with the formula (1.2) of the class  $\Sigma$ . Some examples of *m*-fold symmetric bi-univalent functions are given as follows:

$$\left(\frac{z^m}{1-z^m}\right)^{\frac{1}{m}}, \quad \left[-\log(1-z^m)\right]^{\frac{1}{m}}, \quad \left[\frac{1}{2}\log\left(\frac{1+z^m}{1-z^m}\right)^{\frac{1}{m}}\right]$$

Thus, following Altınkaya and Yalçın [3] constructed the subclasses  $S_{\Sigma}(\lambda, \alpha)$ and  $S_{\Sigma}(\lambda, \beta)$  of bi-univalent functions and obtained estimates on the coefficients  $|a_2|$  and  $|a_3|$  for functions in these new subclasses. Furthermore, in [4], Altınkaya and Yalçın obtained the second Hankel determinant, for the class  $S_{\Sigma}(\lambda, \beta)$ .

Recently, certain subclasses of *m*-fold bi-univalent functions class  $\Sigma_m$  similar to subclasses of introduced and investigated by Altınkaya and Yalçın [2], (see also [13], [14], [17], [18], [19]).

The aim of the this paper is to introduce two new subclasses of the function class  $\Sigma_m$  and derive estimates on the initial coefficients  $|a_{m+1}|$  and  $|a_{2m+1}|$  for functions in these new subclasses of the function class  $\Sigma$  employing the techniques used earlier by Srivastava et al. [11] (see also [6]).

Let P denote the class of functions consisting of p, such that

$$p(z) = 1 + p_1 z + p_2 z^2 + \dots = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} p_n z^n,$$

which are regular in the open unit disc U and satisfy  $\Re(p(z)) > 0$  for any  $z \in U$ . Here, p(z) is called Caratheodory function [5].

We have to remember the following lemma so as to derive our basic results:

**Lemma 1.** (see [10]) If  $p \in P$ , then

$$|p_n| \le 2$$
  $(n \in \mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, \ldots\})$ 

2. Coefficient bounds for the function class  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\alpha,\lambda)$ 

**Definition 1.** A function  $f \in \Sigma_m$  is said to be in the class  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\alpha, \lambda)$  if the following conditions are satisfied:

$$\left| \arg\left[ \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \left( \frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} \right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} \right) \right] \right| < \frac{\alpha \pi}{2} \quad (0 < \alpha \le 1, \ 0 < \lambda \le 1, \ z \in U)$$

and

$$\left| \arg\left[ \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \left( \frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} \right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}} \right) \right] \right| < \frac{\alpha \pi}{2} \quad (0 < \alpha \le 1, \ 0 < \lambda \le 1, \ w \in U)$$

where the function  $g = f^{-1}$ .

**Theorem 1.** Let f given by (1.4) be in the class  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\alpha, \lambda)$ ,  $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ . Then

$$|a_{m+1}| \le \frac{4\lambda\alpha}{m\sqrt{(1+\lambda)\left[4\lambda\alpha + (1+\lambda)(1-\alpha)\right] + 2\alpha(1-\lambda)}}$$

and

$$|a_{2m+1}| \le \frac{2\lambda\alpha}{m(1+\lambda)} + \frac{8(m+1)\lambda^2\alpha^2}{m^2(1+\lambda)^2}.$$

*Proof.* Let  $f \in S_{\Sigma_m}(\alpha, \lambda)$ . Then

$$\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right) = \left[p(z)\right]^{\alpha}$$
(2.1)

$$\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \left(\frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right) = [q(w)]^{\alpha}$$
(2.2)

where  $g = f^{-1}$ , p, q in P and have the forms

$$p(z) = 1 + p_m z^m + p_{2m} z^{2m} + \cdots$$

and

$$q(w) = 1 + q_m w^m + q_{2m} w^{2m} + \cdots$$

Now, equating the coefficients in (2.1) and (2.2), we get

$$\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda}a_{m+1} = \alpha p_m, \qquad (2.3)$$

$$\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda} \left(2a_{2m+1} - a_{m+1}^2\right) + \frac{m^2(1-\lambda)}{4\lambda^2}a_{m+1}^2 = \alpha p_{2m} + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2}p_m^2, \qquad (2.4)$$

and

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$$-\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda}a_{m+1} = \alpha q_m, \qquad (2.5)$$

$$\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda} \left[ (2m+1)a_{m+1}^2 - 2a_{2m+1} \right] + \frac{m^2(1-\lambda)}{4\lambda^2} a_{m+1}^2 = \alpha q_{2m} + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2} q_m^2.$$
(2.6)

Making use of (2.3) and (2.5), we obtain

$$p_m = -q_m. (2.7)$$

and

$$\frac{m^2(1+\lambda)^2}{2\lambda^2}a_{m+1}^2 = \alpha^2(p_m^2 + q_m^2).$$
(2.8)

Also from (2.4), (2.6) and (2.8) we have

$$\left[\frac{m^2(1+\lambda)}{\lambda} + \frac{m^2(1-\lambda)}{2\lambda^2}\right]a_{m+1}^2 = \alpha \left(p_{2m} + q_{2m}\right) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2}\left(p_m^2 + q_m^2\right).$$
$$= \alpha \left(p_{2m} + q_{2m}\right) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2}\frac{m^2(1+\lambda)^2}{2\lambda^2\alpha^2}a_{m+1}^2.$$

Therefore, we have

$$a_{m+1}^2 = \frac{4\lambda^2 \alpha^2 \left(p_{2m} + q_{2m}\right)}{m^2 \left\{ (1+\lambda) \left[ 4\lambda\alpha + (1+\lambda)(1-\alpha) \right] + 2\alpha(1-\lambda) \right\}}.$$
 (2.9)

Applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_{2m}$  and  $q_{2m}$ , we obtain

$$|a_{m+1}| \le \frac{4\lambda\alpha}{m\sqrt{(1+\lambda)\left[4\lambda\alpha + (1+\lambda)(1-\alpha)\right] + 2\alpha(1-\lambda)}}.$$

Next, in order to find the bound on  $|a_{2m+1}|$ , by subtracting (2.6) from (2.4), we get

$$\frac{2m(1+\lambda)}{\lambda}a_{2m+1} - \frac{m(m+1)(1+\lambda)}{\lambda}a_{m+1}^2 = \alpha \left(p_{2m} - q_{2m}\right) + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2}(p_m^2 - q_m^2).$$

Then, in view of (2.7) and (2.8) , and applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_{2m}$ ,  $p_m$  and  $q_{2m}$ ,  $q_m$ , we have

$$|a_{2m+1}| \le \frac{2\lambda\alpha}{m(1+\lambda)} + \frac{8(m+1)\lambda^2\alpha^2}{m^2(1+\lambda)^2}.$$

which completes the proof of Theorem 1.

# 3. Coefficient bounds for the function class $S_{\Sigma_m}(eta,\lambda)$

**Definition 2.** A function  $f \in \Sigma_m$  given by (1.4) is said to be in the class  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\beta, \lambda)$  if the following conditions are satisfied:

$$\Re\left\{\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)\right\} > \beta, \qquad (0 \le \beta < 1, \quad 0 < \lambda \le 1, \quad z \in U) \quad (3.1)$$

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and

$$\Re\left\{\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \left(\frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right)\right\} > \beta, \qquad (0 \le \beta < 1, \quad 0 < \lambda \le 1, \quad w \in U).$$

$$(3.2)$$

where the function  $g = f^{-1}$ .

**Theorem 2.** Let f given by (1.4) be in the class  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\beta, \lambda)$ ,  $0 \le \beta < 1$ . Then

$$|a_{m+1}| \le \frac{2\lambda}{m} \sqrt{\frac{2(1-\beta)}{2\lambda^2 + \lambda + 1}}$$

and

$$|a_{2m+1}| \le \frac{8(m+1)\lambda^2 (1-\beta)^2}{m^2 (1+\lambda)^2} + \frac{2\lambda (1-\beta)}{m (1+\lambda)}.$$

*Proof.* Let  $f \in S_{\Sigma_m}(\beta, \lambda)$ . Then

$$\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)} + \left(\frac{zf'(z)}{f(z)}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right) = \beta + (1-\beta)p(z) \tag{3.3}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)} + \left(\frac{wg'(w)}{g(w)}\right)^{\frac{1}{\lambda}}\right) = \beta + (1-\beta)q(w)$$
(3.4)

where  $p, q \in P$  and  $g = f^{-1}$ .

It follows from (3.3) and (3.4) that

$$\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda}a_{m+1} = (1-\beta)p_m, \qquad (3.5)$$

$$\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda} \left(2a_{2m+1} - a_{m+1}^2\right) + \frac{m^2(1-\lambda)}{4\lambda^2} a_{m+1}^2 = (1-\beta)p_{2m}, \qquad (3.6)$$

and

$$\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda}a_{m+1} = (1-\beta)q_m, \qquad (3.7)$$

$$\frac{m(1+\lambda)}{2\lambda} \left[ (2m+1)a_{m+1}^2 - 2a_{2m+1} \right] + \frac{m^2(1-\lambda)}{4\lambda^2} a_{m+1}^2 = (1-\beta)q_{2m}.$$
 (3.8)

Then, by making use of (3.5) and (3.7), we get

$$p_m = -q_m. ag{3.9}$$

and

$$\frac{m^2(1+\lambda)^2}{2\lambda^2}a_{m+1}^2 = (1-\beta)^2(p_m^2+q_m^2).$$
(3.10)

Adding (3.6) and (3.8), we have

$$\left[\frac{m^2(1+\lambda)}{\lambda} + \frac{m^2(1-\lambda)}{2\lambda^2}\right]a_{m+1}^2 = (1-\beta)(p_{2m}+q_{2m}).$$

Therefore, we obtain

$$a_{m+1}^2 = \frac{2\lambda^2(1-\beta)\left(p_{2m}+q_{2m}\right)}{m^2(2\lambda^2+\lambda+1)}.$$

Applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_{2m}$  and  $q_{2m}$ , we obtain

$$|a_{m+1}| \le \frac{2\lambda}{m} \sqrt{\frac{2(1-\beta)}{2\lambda^2 + \lambda + 1}}.$$

Next, in order to find the bound on  $|a_{2m+1}|$ , by subtracting (3.8) from (3.6), we obtain

$$\frac{2m(1+\lambda)}{\lambda}a_{2m+1} - \frac{m(m+1)(1+\lambda)}{\lambda}a_{m+1}^2 = (1-\beta)(p_{2m} - q_{2m}).$$

Then, in view of (3.9) and (3.10) , applying Lemma 1 for the coefficients  $p_{2m}, p_m$  and  $q_{2m}, q_m,$  we have

$$|a_{2m+1}| \le \frac{8(m+1)\lambda^2 (1-\beta)^2}{m^2 (1+\lambda)^2} + \frac{2\lambda (1-\beta)}{m (1+\lambda)}.$$

which completes the proof of Theorem 2.

If we set  $\lambda = 1$  in Theorems 1 and 2, then the classes  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\alpha, \lambda)$  and  $S_{\Sigma_m}(\beta, \lambda)$  reduce to the classes  $S_{\Sigma_m}^{\alpha}$  and  $S_{\Sigma_m}^{\beta}$  and thus, we obtain the following corollaries:

**Corollary 1.** (see [2]) Let f given by (1.4) be in the class  $S^{\alpha}_{\Sigma_m}$  ( $0 < \alpha \leq 1$ ). Then

$$|a_{m+1}| \le \frac{2\alpha}{m\sqrt{\alpha+1}}$$

and

$$|a_{2m+1}| \le \frac{\alpha}{m} + \frac{2(m+1)\alpha^2}{m^2}$$

**Corollary 2.** (see [2]) Let f given by (1.4) be in the class  $S_{\Sigma_m}^{\beta}$  ( $0 \le \beta < 1$ ). Then

$$|a_{m+1}| \le \frac{\sqrt{2\left(1-\beta\right)}}{m}$$

and

$$|a_{2m+1}| \le \frac{2(m+1)(1-\beta)^2}{m^2} + \frac{1-\beta}{m}$$

**Remark 1.** For one-fold symmetric bi-univalent functions, if we put  $\lambda = 1$  in our Theorems, then we obtain the Corollary 1 and Corollary 2 which were proven earlier by Murugunsundaramoorthy et al. [9].

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